

ACROSS the DESK

Macs from other editors

From The Independent Record, Wildwood, New Jersey: According to a recent news item from Bridgeton, N. J.: "Four prisoners escaped . . . from what had been considered a maximum security cell in the Cumberland County jail . . . They had sawed a hole 15 by 8 inches . . . in a quarter-inch steel ceiling . . . dislodged, and covered their bodies with hair pomade. After wriggling through the opening, they crept between ceiling and roof to a ventilator, broke it open and lowered themselves forty feet to the ground with blankets." Two of the men were quickly caught and the other two were being hunted.

To what extremes people will go in an effort to gain even a short period of physical freedom! And yet these prisoners, even when they finally got out of jail, were not free. The forces of the law were after them and only by alternately fleeing and hiding could they hope, for a while, to escape capture.

True freedom, "the glorious liberty of the children of God," comes from obedience to law—God's law. There is no freedom in violating it. If we valued our genuine freedom as highly as these four prisoners did their false freedom, wouldn't most of us be much more concerned than we apparently are of man.

Economic Highlights . . .

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

We can have better defense for less money. That is the substance of an article by Francis and Katherine Drake in the February issue of *The Reader's Digest*. And it is certainly something that should interest everyone, in the light of current and prospective military expenditures. For instance, next fiscal year this spending will come to some \$38 billion. If the President's budget is approved by Congress, more than half of the total budget of \$71.8 billion.

The Drakes' article does not deal with some marvelous new weapon that will give us maximum fighting power at low cost. It deals instead with the personnel problem faced by the forces, and with a solution to that problem. What they have to say is in general agreement with the views of many other people who have studied our military budget. The heart of the problem is, however, close to 100 per cent of young men taken into the Army get out after one hitch, along with 84 per cent in the Navy and 80 per cent in the Air Force. This incredibly high loss in the Drakes' view, results largely from the fact that in an age of unprecedented prosperity we are imposing on our servicemen, and on their families, hard financial living conditions which would not be tolerated in civilian life. That policy they go on, is not saving the taxpayers any money. On the contrary, the turnover of manpower is making us enormous sums in ever-lasting retraining programs. And our homeland? The total initial cost would be under a billion dollars.

Motor weapons are complicated cost per annum, we should save and always substantially, only, up to five billion dollars a year, and it takes top-flight technicians. Where else in Government do we have the chance to invest one dollar, the Drakes write, the average cost for to save five?"

BILLY BUSINESS

The President's proposed budget will provide a surplus if Administration's economic goals are met. It is to be noted that revenues will be collected faster than expenditures.

Over 900,000,000 of excess uncollected funds are now being held in the Treasury. At the same time we should not forget that the national surplus will be the result of an extremely high level of economic activity, not of any effort to cut costs.

There is a certain danger here, and Senator Byrd has described it in these words: "It is very tempting to depend on an increase in our taxes to balance the budget." The Drakes have pointed out that we have just proposed a 100% cut in the Administration's budget. The present level is going down. Yet we all know it does not follow down to balancing the budget. It would be much safer to set our expectations to a 100% cut in our increase in receipts.

For a comparatively small de-



3 BILLION BOOST — Sen. Harry Byrd (D., Va.), chairman of Senate Finance Committee, is shown at record \$11.8 billion U. S. budget.

crease in general business activity at 100% with the adverse of 100% that would have on the government's revenues, could cause the budget far out of balance on the red ink side. We are depending on a basis of virtually no wage demands and no man to say that such a basis will go on indefinitely.

Good times are the basis to which the most determined efforts to cut government costs should be made.

See you next in THE CITIZEN

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TODAY'S meditation



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THE WORLD'S MOST WIDELY USED DEVOTIONAL GUIDE

Thursday, February 14

Read John 8:12-20.

That was the true Light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world. (John 1:4)

WHILE I was passing Singapore one night, the water was calm. There were several lighthouses around. As I stood on our ship, I was fascinated by the fact that regardless of the direction from which they came, the beams of light from each lighthouse made a path of light to my feet.

It seemed as if the beams were for me only, until I realized they were for anyone who cared to see them.

If it were possible for all persons in the world to stand in any direction in sight of a lighthouse, the beams would reach all persons.

So it is with God's love; it is

like a beam shining in every direction providing a two-way communication channel between God and us. God extends His love to every believer in the world and to the non-believer also. Christ has said: "All that the Father giveth me shall come to me; and him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out."

Dear heavenly Father, we thank Thee for Thy faithfulness to us. Give us the willingness to see Thy Light and incline our hearts to walk in it.

In the name of Jesus Christ, our Light, we pray. Amen.

Thought For The Day

Before God and among my fellow men I will walk in the light of Christ. —Harry R. Blount

(New York)



CHURCH NEWS

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dwight H. McMahon, Pastor

Mrs. Nestor Littlefield, Organist

Miss Minnie Wilson, Supt. of Sunday School

Sunday, Feb. 17:

Regular Sunday School each week at 9:45 a. m.

Regular church worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon theme for this Sunday: "Transferring Religion From Learning to Life."

Thursday, Feb. 21:

Regular weekly choir rehearsals at church.

6:30 p. m. Monthly supper meeting of entire Woman's Society of Christian Service at Church.

WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. John Tabbott, Choir Director

Miss Dawnie Christie, Organist

Mr. Howard Cole, Sunday School Superintendent

Sunday school at 10:30, Mrs. Leslie Abbott, Supt.

11:00 a. m. Church Service.

4 p. m. Junior Youth Fellowship.

5 p. m. Maple Grove Youth Fellowship.

WESTERN BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G. E. Lindahl, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:15 a. m.

Morning Service, 10:30 a. m.

Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 18:

Young Peoples Bible Class, 7:00 p. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 19:

Susan E. Hawley Missionary Society Meeting.

Wednesday, Feb. 20:

Choir Rehearsal, 6:15 p. m.

Midweek Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, Feb. 21:

Young People Social at Social Hall 7:00 p. m.

STATE

To all persons interested in the Estates of

At a Probate Court in and for the third

January in the year

thousand nine hundred and seven, from day

third Tuesday

The following matter

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hereafter indicated:

That notice

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EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Wilma Lee Harrington celebrated her sixth birthday at her home on Feb. 5 with a party in the afternoon. She received many lovely gifts. Those present were Carolina Velez, Alan Howe, Mrs. Thelma Remington and Tommy, Mrs. Gail Scribner and Gilda, Mrs. June Swan and Anita and Randy Swan, Mrs. Isobel Boyce and Muriel. Those unable to attend but sending gifts were Maggie Newton, Geraldine Howe, and Kathy Howe. Refreshment of cake, ice cream, candy and drinks were served by Mrs. Arlene Harrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rich of Canaan, Mrs. Linne Hutchinson, Mrs. Claire Holman of Dixfield, Mr. and Mrs. Curver Hutchinson of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knight and daughter Betty, of South Paris were week end visitors of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Tyler are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter Verlie Lou, on Feb. 6 at the Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Betty Swan, who has been quite ill, is much better and is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Curver Hutchinson in Farmington.

Several people have been and are ill with a virus cold which is hard to get rid of.

Little Beverly Kimball has been very ill with tonsitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Springer of Hudson Falls, N. Y., were week end guests of Mrs. Dorothy Houle.

Bruce Boyce is now at home after working in Connecticut for several months.

There will be a meeting of Alder River Grange No. 145, on Feb. 15. This is an Open House with the grange and all are welcome to visit.

Miss Dorothy Bartlett of Boston, and Clayton Bartlett of Kennebunk were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bartlett.

Mrs. Barbara Hewitt of Gorham, N. H., and Miss Barbara Taylor of Cape Cod, Mass., were visitors Sunday of Miss Dorothy Bartlett.

The Women's Extension Group will hold a meeting on "Fabrics and Patterns" on Feb. 20 in the evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Margaret Ring, Mrs. Lil Bartlett and Mrs. Agnes Haines are on the refreshment committee. Remember girls, we are dining!

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frost and children of Pittsfield, N. H., and Mrs. Ira Frost of Louden, N. H., visited Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newell.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said January, the following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris on the third Tuesday of February A. D. 1957, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

George H. Hammond, late of Bethel deceased; First and Final account presented for allowance by George W. Hammond, administrator.

John L. Littlehale, late of Mayberry Plantation, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Beatrice Littlehale as executrix of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Beatrice Littlehale, the executrix therein named.

Lester L. Littlehale, late of Lincoln Plantation, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Gwendolyn Natalie Littlehale as executrix of the same, with bond, presented by Gwendolyn Natalie Littlehale, the executrix therein named.

Raymond L. Newlin, late of Newry, deceased; Petition for the appointment of John A. Newlin or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased with bond presented by John A. Newlin, father.

Mary E. Lapham, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Perry C. Lapham as executors of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will presented by Perry C. Lapham, the executors therein named.

William Robert T. Smith, Jr., of Paris, deceased; Petition for the appointment of John A. Newlin or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased with bond presented by John A. Newlin, father.

Marion R. Clefford, Register

GOULD ACADEMY

Gould 47—South Paris 62

At South Paris last Friday the Huskies started strong to lead at the end of the first period 12 to 9. The Cardinals, however, broke loose with 18 points in the second quarter to take a 27-23 lead at half-time. Edwards with 23 points, Nelt with 12 and Gatchell with 12 sparked the Paris team as they gradually increased their lead to an eventual 62 to 47 victory.

Whitton was the only Gould man to score in double figures as he led his teammates with 24. Only

three other Huskies got into the scoring column.

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Dufresne, Nichols, Four 8's.

Farmington Takes Gould

In the season's finale the Huskies dropped a one-sided game to the Farmington five. The Gould held its own the first period but in the second frame the Gray-

ton Monday.

Mrs. Mary Bean was honored at a stork shower Saturday night at the Grange Hall. She received many gifts. Those present were Mrs. Carol Sibley and daughter Linda of Mexico; Mrs. Roland Bean of Mexico; Mrs. June Swan; Mrs. Isobel Boyce, Mrs. Gail Scribner, Mrs. Leona Curtis, Mrs. Rose Smith, Mrs. Pauline Smith, Miss Judy Harrington, Misses Arlene and Phyllis Coolidge, Miss Lorraine Olson, the co-hosseesses. Mrs. Leona Bean and Mrs. Peggy Coolidge, and the guest of honor. Those sending gifts but unable to attend were Mrs. Floribell Haines, Mrs. Agnes Haines, Mrs. Paul Bean of Bryant Pond, Mrs. Gerry Howe, Mrs. Hilda Swan, Mrs. Florence Hastings, Mrs. Dorothy Stearns of Rumford Corner, Mrs. Myra Foster, Mrs. Vi Lurvey of West Bethel, Mrs. Stanley Coolidge of Bethel, Mrs. Arlene Harrington, Mrs. Nellie Olson, Mrs. Louise Coolidge, Miss Serena Coolidge, Mrs. Helen Farrar.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mr. R. M. Fleet, Corres.

Bertha Bean called on her daughter, Pauline Chapin, at Bethel Saturday.

At this writing Asher Runnels, Clarence Kimball and Roland Fleet are all on the sick list.

Leslie Kendall is on the jury at Rumford.

Linn Reynolds and son George are cutting some of their pine. Eddie Dave is driving truck for Charlie Brown, in the absence of John Wight who is working elsewhere.

Eva Yates attended Pomona Grange of Bryant Pond Tuesday, Feb. 5.

Edward MacDonald was home on a week end trip from Fort Dix, N. J.

Richard Young of Bethel is carrying the scholars from Ketchum to the Bethel schools.

William Kimball was in town from Waterford Saturday, Feb. 9.

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WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert and Linda were in Portland last Wednesday.

Mrs. George Gilbert and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert attended a Singer Sewing Instruction Class for 4-H leaders at Bethel last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bennett,

Portland, were week end guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and Roberta were at Norway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker and Diana called on Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wild, Shelburne, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and children were at West Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott, Bobby and Lee Gilbert and James Westleigh were at Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennett attended a meeting of the State Fish and Game Association at Bangor Sunday.

Maple Leaf 4-H Club met Saturday at the home of Ruth Gilbert with nine members and three visitors present. Bette Gilbert reported.

on the Singer Sewing Instruc-

tion Class at Bethel. The girls

practiced knitting. The next meet-

ing will be on sewing at the home

of Bette Gilbert.

Miss Jane Smith of Boston was

a week end guest of her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Smith.

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BRYANT'S MARKET

MAGALLOWAY

Mr. Beadle Harvey, Correspondent Lewis Olson of Wilson's Mills sustained a paralytic stroke last Thursday night but is recovering slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Mario Harvey moved into their new house on the Harvey farm Sunday.

Leo Girardin had the misfortune to almost totally demolish his new car Friday morning but was not injured. The car turned over several times and landed upside down.

Miss Kathy Harvey, whose left shoulder was dislocated recently, is recovering well. She will have to keep her arm in a sling for some weeks.

Stanley West was home over the week end. He stayed at A Donald Cameron's as his mother is working for Mrs. Clarence Gray.

Robert Waugh of Berlin held services in the Wilson's Mills school house Sunday.

Several people have had cards from Mrs. Beatrice Littlehale saying that she does not like Florida and is coming home as soon as possible.

Mrs. Leon Bennett is also reported as saying the weather in Florida is too hot for her. The Bennett family will also be home soon.

LOCKE MILLS

— Mrs. Florence Swift, Correspondent —

Mrs. Dwight Martin and Mrs. Henry Bowers were in Auburn on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Merle Luray who has been ill with the flu now has complications and is confined to her bed.

Mrs. Marlene Marshall, student nurse at the CMG Hospital, is spending a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Marshall.

Dana Melville has the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Howe, Bryant Pond, were in Boston, Sunday, and attended basketball and hockey games at the Boston Garden.

The Greenwood Extension Group met at the home of Mrs. Harry Swift, Tuesday. The subject was Adequate Storage Space. After the meeting gifts and birthday cakes were presented to Mrs. Amy Farley and Mrs. Florence Swift. Present were Mrs. Nestor Tamminen, Mrs. Andrew Hawkins, Mrs. Ivan Morey, Mrs. Mario Kilpinen, Mrs. Denee, Mrs. Leona Holt, Mrs. Pauline Cummings, Mrs. Henry Leach, Mrs. Henry Bowers, Cindy Morey, and David Holt. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Eino.

The Jackson River Post, American Legion, will have a paper collection on Sunday afternoon, Feb. 21. It is planned to hold a paper drive each month.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dubey and Mrs. Dubey's mother, Mrs. Leah Hyatt, spent two days at Hotel Harris, Rumford, recently and attended the Rumford Winter Carnival while there.

Community Club

The Locke Mills Community Club met Tuesday evening at the school house with 17 members and two visitors present.

The meeting was opened by Charlotte Cole, President, and it was voted to have the usual town meeting dinner.

After the business meeting Ethel Martin and Charlotte Cole provided entertainment with poems about Lincoln, Washington and valentines, also games about valentines. Refreshments were served by Melinda Howe and Cara Bennett, consisting of Washington pie, coffee and tea. Charlotte Cole was the mystery package. Gifts were presented to the president and vice-president to appreciate of their work during the past year.

Edna Stevens and Maria Viles became members.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. C. James Knights, Correspondent —

Mrs. Edgar Davis recently spent an afternoon with Mrs. Sam Redman.

Robert Davis was sick several days last week.

Madly Taylor cut his leg last week and the cut required eight stitches.

Mrs. Ben Warner Jr. and son son on Mrs. C. James Knights Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Edgar Davis recently called on Mrs. Emil Heikkilä, West Par-

SONG POND

Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Correspondent

Mrs. Edward Lapham spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills of Andover were visitors at Ralph Kimball's one day last week.

Avery Smith of Brunswick was a recent caller on his niece, Miss Lorraine Leighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston of Portland were Sunday visitors at Marion Keniston's.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Byron spent Sunday at South Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Barker and two sons of Waterford and Mrs. Maud Kimball were dinner guests Sunday at Ralph Kimball's. Other visitors Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Merton Bessey and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stearns of Rumford.

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GREENWOOD CITY

Mrs. Colista Morgan, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage of Norway were callers at Clyde Morgan's on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cyr and family of West Paris were callers Sunday at her mother's, Mrs. Tolvo Tamander.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Hayes of Auburn were week end visitors at Roland Hayes' and Nestor Tamminen's.

The Community Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Tamminen at their home on Wednesday evening. A social evening was enjoyed.

Greenwood City School

Monday we planned a hot dog roast at noon and as it was Ann Holt's birthday her mother sent a cake and ice cream for a party—Ann Holt, Nancy Ridly, and Colista

Curtis had one hundred in spelling for the week.

Tuesday there was no school because the teacher was sick.

Wednesday we had a "lost" day this year.

We have a Valentine box

Robert Holt.

made and plan a party on

the fifteenth.

On Friday we made Val-

entine baskets and hats which we

may use at our party.

Reporter,

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UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Corres. —
Mr and Mrs Ivan Carey and two sons of Bethel were guests of her parents, Mr and Mrs Claude Lombard, last Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Floyd Staples of Winslow were overnight guests of her folks in town, visiting her mother, Mrs George Wight, and her grandparents, Mr and Mrs Dan Barnett, Saturday last week.

Another guest of Mr and Mrs Dan Barnett Saturday night was Miss Helen Montague of Needham, Mass.

Mrs George Wight was pleasantly surprised on her birthday Thursday last week when her daughter, Mrs Ruth Howkins, and her sister-in-law, Mrs Alda Barnett, and children came to spend a social afternoon with her.

Mrs Irene Brown has not been very well lately. The doctor has been in attendance for the last few days.

Mrs Esther Williamson was not very well last week, but is better now.

Mr and Mrs Kendrick Judkins and family went to Bradford Point Saturday afternoon to visit Mr and Mrs Albert Judkins and family.

On Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 6, the ladies of the town met at the home of Mrs Lila Barnett and made plans for the Mother and Daughter Banquet to be held in Upton the early part of May. The following committees were chosen: hostess, Mrs Katharine Wight; dinner committee, Mrs Dorothy Judkins, Mrs Lila Barnett, and Mrs Bertha Lombard; decorating and favors committee, Mrs Alda Barnett; clean-up committee, Mrs Bertha Lombard and Mrs Elsie Fuller.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

Mr. Abram Lodge, No. 31, L. O. O. P. Meets Friday evenings, N. G. Shilley Chase, Rec. Secretary, George Lothrop.

Bethel Rebekah Lodge, No. 84, Meets first and third Monday evenings, N. G. Fernald, Rec. Secretary, Adela Gunders.

Faculty Chapter, No. 182, O. E. K. Meets first Wednesday evenings, W. M. Dorothy York, Secretary, Helen Rounse.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 126, West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays, Master, Gordon Mason, Secretary, Lettie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce, Meets first Tuesday, President, Elwood Iceland, Secretary, Wallace Saunders.

W. B. C. S. Methodist Church, Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Lupton, Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Bethel Gordon Guild, Meets second and fourth Wednesdays evenings, President, Ramona Lowe, Secretary, Vera Colodige.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church, Meets first and third Thursday afternoons, President, Mrs. Henry Barker, Secretary, Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts.

Women's Fellowship of West Parish Congregational Church, Meets second Wednesdays of January, April, September, President, Mrs. Lucy Barker, Sec. Mrs. Hobart Nichols.

Bethel Lodge, No. 17, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings, W. M. Wm. R. Myers, Secretary, H. C. H. Hastings.

Bethel Lions Club, Meets second and fourth Mondays, President, Stanley Galant, Secretary, James Higgins.

Model Appreciation Group, Meets every other Thursday at 8 P. M. in O'Brien Assembly Room, President, Florence Emery, Secretary, Jean Richardson.

Mojo Bunchers, Methodist Church, Meets last Tuesday evening, President, Marion Patch, Secretary, Donald Christie.

Central Teacher Association, Meets third Tuesday evenings, Mrs. G. C. Miller, Secretary, Irene Higgins.

Elks Club, Meets first and third Tuesdays, President, Richard C. Clegg, Secretary, Maxine Higgins.

Model Aces Club, No. 18, American Legion Auxiliary, Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings, President, Mary Kendall, Secretary, Hilda Danvers.

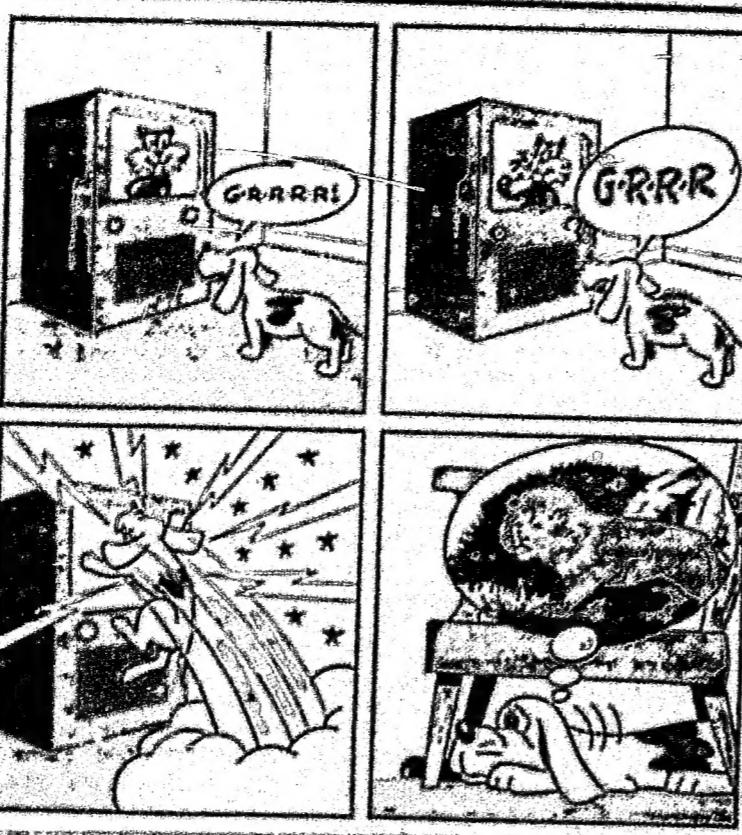
Alpha Sigma Gamma, No. 188, Bethel, Meets first and third Friday evenings, Master, Richard Stevens, Secretary, Mary K. Keeler.

Mr. Abram Fish and Game Association, Meets third Thursday at 7:30 P. M. in Lockett Mill Town Hall, Vassal, President, Franklin Arthur, Secretary, Arthur Thompson.

Methodist Women's Day League, Mrs. Alice Smith, Vice President, Irene Nichols, Secretary, and Treasurer, J. E. Brown.

THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. —

Mrs Archie Waltinen of West Paris spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs Eino Heikkilä.

Miss Judy Leino took dinner with her aunt, Mrs Eino Heikkilä, Friday. Mrs Heikkilä carried her down to her grandmother's, Mrs Percy Jefferson's, in the afternoon.

Callers at Mr and Mrs Ellis Davis' Sunday were Mr and Mrs Win Buck, Mr and Mrs Durwood Lang, Mr and Mrs Sayward Lamb and three children.

Mrs Martha Heikkilä, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs Ruth Tucci of Walham, Mass., returned home Saturday by way of Lewiston. Mrs Eino Heikkilä drove to Lewiston to meet her Eleanor Kowalski went with her.

Mr and Mrs Ellis Davis took dinner with Mr and Mrs Ellsworth Curtis Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Herman Fuller and daughter took dinner with Mr and Mrs Ellsworth Curtis Sunday.

Callers at Ellsworth Curtis' Sunday were Davis Curtis, Ellsworth Curtis Jr. and family.

Mrs Eino Heikkilä went to Clinton with her parents, Mr and Mrs Percy Jefferson, to call on her uncle, Roger McCallister. He returned with them for a visit with Mrs. Jefferson.

Ormond Andrews had a birthday party at school when her mother, Mrs Lenwood Andrews brought ice cream and brownies for the primary room to enjoy with Becky on Thursday afternoon.

The Willow Workers held a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs Lenwood Andrews with the following in attendance: Mrs Laura Irakinen, Cynthia Jacob, Barbara Cash, Wilma Hennich, Zella Silver, Olive Davis, Esther Davis, Bernice Davis and the hostess, Hilda Andrews. Off-

BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith O. Abbott, Cor. —

Woodstock High School News Honor roll ranks for the second period have been announced by Principal Robert Stetson, as follows: First honors, all A's: Denise Noyes; Second honors, A's and B's: Doris Brooks, James Swan, John Cole and Hazel Crocker. Third hon-

ors were elected as follows: President, Laura Heikkilä; Vice-President, Hazel Strout; Secretary, William Hendrickson; Treasurer, Jessie Andrews; Entertainment Committee for February and March, Olive and Esther Davis. The mystery package was won by Cynthia Lamb.

The next meeting is to be held at Barbara Cash's the 26th barring weather. Nice refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs Andrews.

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Mrs. Roxie Inman, Corres.

The Brownie Girl Scouts held a Valentine Party at the School Cafeteria Monday afternoon, with 23 Brownies, four leaders and two guests, Cindy Morey and Gary Inman present. A short play entitled "The Queen of Hearts" was presented by Gilda Tuell, Susan Morey and Gail Oja. Valentine games were in charge of Susan Morey and Gilda Tuell. A Valentine box was enjoyed and refreshments of popcorn and candy were served.

Eugene Andrews and daughter, Mrs Marion Buck, of Norway were guests of Harry Inman and Mrs Walter Inman Monday afternoon.

Mrs Myrtle Richardson was the guest of honor at a birthday party Sunday afternoon at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mr William Slattery. She was the recipient of many lovely gifts and flowers. Delicious refreshments, featuring a decorated cake, a gift from a South Paris friend, were served to the following guests: Mr and Mrs Edward Phillips and daughter Jean of Native, Mass.; Mr and Mrs Dale Swift, Norway; Mr and Mrs Erwin Heath, Darryl, Bonnie and Hollie of Auburn; and Mrs Richardson.

The senior class honor parts have been announced by Principal Clarence Reid as follows: Valedictorian, Virginia Ann Hibler; Salutatorian, Mary Jane Abbott; Honor Essayist, Sandra Gardner. Miss Hibler, daughter of Mr and Mrs Edward Hibler, has taken the Commercial Course, is president of her class, a member of the National Honor Society, representative Dirigo Girls State in 1956, member of the Readit Board, editor of the year book "Nautilus," active in orchestra, glee club and dramatics, basketball, softball and rifle club. Miss Hibler plans to continue secretarial work after graduation.

Miss Abbott is the daughter of Mr and Mrs Lawrence Abbott, is class secretary, she has taken the Commercial Course, active in Glee Club dramatics and softball, and is student bookkeeper for the school. After graduation Miss Abbott plans to continue secretarial work.

Miss Gardner, daughter of Mr and Mrs George Gardner, has taken the College Course, is class treasurer, a member of the Readit and Nautilus Board, active in athletics, orchestra and Glee Club, Music Festival 3 Future plans undecided!

The Future Homemakers 4-H Club met at the home of the leader, Mrs Harold Perham, Tuesday afternoon with 32 members present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Billy Whitman, with the State Club Song, Flag Salute and Club Pledge. It was voted to have a public square dance in March. Plans for observing National 4-H Club Week will be discussed at the next meeting. A demonstration measuring in cooking will be given by Sandra Demarais, a first year foods member. A demonstration on how to make a foamy milk shake was given by Martha Perham. Each member was given a sample of the milk shake and a copy of the recipe. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Mrs Marjorie Ellingwood entertained the Good Will Association of Universal Women at her home Wednesday evening.

Universalist Church Men's Club held its monthly supper and meeting at the Good Will Hall Monday evening.

Open House Night was observed by the West Paris Grange Saturday night. The program included ten films, "How to Raise a Boy" and "Big Trains Rolling."

Mr and Mrs Walter Urquhart of Greenwood Street announced the engagement of their daughter Edie's A Tuell, to Arthur L. Edwards, son of Mr and Mrs Roy Edwards of Harrison. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr Scottie Campbell of Berlin is visiting. Mrs Agnes Gray, former guest of Mr and Mrs Walter Inman were Mr and Mrs Urquhart's guest and three children

LAFF OF THE WEEK



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Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres.

Arnold Graves spent a few days last week with Alfred Leighton Jr.

Mr and Mrs. Albert Keniston spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. J. Andrews.

Earl McAllister was called home from his work in Portland Thursday because of the illness of his

of Windham.

Mr and Mrs. Ivan Proctor and family and his parents, Mr and Mrs. Leon Proctor, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. William Carpenter Jr. and family, South Portland.

Week end guests of Mr and Mrs. Arthur Buck and Barry were Mr and Mrs. Ralph Milliett and daughter, Vicki, of Bangor.

Sunday guests of Randall Herrick were Mr and Mrs. Nathan Small, Auburn; Mr and Mrs. Stanley Bealekis and Paula of Lewiston.

Douglas Perham attended a meeting of the State Universalist Youth Fellowship at Auburn on Sunday.



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NORTH WATERFORD

Josephine Sanderson, Cor. Mrs. Lillian Herrick is working more each week. Mrs. Lord had her housework for a few weeks.

Waterford polo clinic was held at Memorial School Monday at 9 a.m. It included first, second and booster shots for ages six months through 10 years. Mrs. Elaine Morse was in charge of registrations.

Waterford Memorial School closes Friday for one week's vacation. Richard Perkins of Bethel was in town Saturday to take care of things at their father's home here. Mr. Lord passed away about two weeks ago.

There will be a Boy Scout meeting this Thursday evening. All members are urged to attend.

Mrs. Dwight Morrill and daughters, Darlene, Mary and Kathy-Jo, of Bethel visited Mrs. Morrill's parents, Mr and Mrs. H. M. Sanderson, Sunday afternoon.

Mahlon Grover, Lawrence Herrick and Edgar Mills are cutting timber for Homer Persinger on the former Charles Saunders place. Ernest Herrick still remains in poor health.

Malcom Bean of South Waterford called on Orrin Martin at Allen's nursing home recently.

Mrs. Jo Sanderson has been taking care of Mrs. Effie Bessey at North Norway for the past two weeks. Mrs. Bessey lives with her

daughter, Mrs. Josephine Haskell, Florida.

Mrs. Alice Weymouth and sons, Gregory and Wesley, were Sunday callers at Walter Lord's and Mr and Mrs. Henry Sanderson's.

Recent callers at the Open Door Nursing Home were George Reynolds, Sunday River; Mr and Mrs. Kneeland Brown, Bethel; Mrs. Mona Meads and Howard Nash, Bath; Betty Rice, North Waterford; Mr and Mrs. Archie Bell, South Waterford.

Orrin Martin was a guest of the Edward Bean family Sunday afternoon.

Lafe Flint is a patient at the Open Door Nursing Home

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